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NEW JERSEY LANDINGS BY COUNTIES, DECEMBER 1973

(PRELIMINARY)

SPECIES	MONMOUTH		OCEAN		BURLINGTON	
	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
FISH						
BLUEFISH	74	10	1,302	181	-	-
BUTTERFISH, UNCLASSIFIED	600	150	4,539	1,150	-	-
COD	1,329	306	3,530	925	-	-
EELS, COMMON	35	9	-	-	-	-
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK	764	92	2,600	312	-	-
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE	-	-	3,228	1,568	-	-
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE	-	-	8,502	1,701	-	-
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL	5,354	642	2,591	259	-	-
HAKE, RED	12,988	909	132,735	10,185	-	-
HAKE, WHITE, UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	15,338	2,761	-	-
HERRING, SEA	5,908	295	-	-	-	-
MACKEREL, ATLANTIC	47	12	6,749	1,376	-	-
POLLOCK	-	-	69	12	-	-
SCUP OR PORGY, UNCLASSIFIED	1,780	463	66,771	16,814	-	-
SEA BASS, UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	877	566	-	-
SEA TROUT, GREY	1,978	495	4,257	970	-	-
SHAD	70	7	100	10	-	-
SPOT	18	2	-	-	-	-
STRIPED BASS	224	52	13,411	3,151	-	-
TAUTOG	131	9	-	-	-	-
TILEFISH	-	-	90,461	27,138	-	-
WHITE PERCH	536	118	3,900	897	-	-
WHITING	88,795	9,767	615,124	67,866	-	-
UNCLASSIFIED FOR FOOD	20	3	225	34	-	-
TOTAL FISH	120,651	13,341	976,309	137,876		
SHELLFISH						
CRABS, BLUE, HARD	25,600	7,680	8,960	2,688	-	-
CRABS, RED	-	-	332	20	-	-
CRABS, ROCK	-	-	5,800	354	-	-
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN, UNCL	2,584	4,522	54,704	95,333	-	-
CLAMS, HARD (MEATS)	1,200	1,140	20,010	19,010	-	-
CLAMS, SURF (MEATS)	9,027	1,593	253,198	37,715	-	-
OYSTERS (MEATS)	-	-	2,100	4,200	-	-
SCALLOPS, BAY (MEATS)	-	-	35,231	37,748	-	-
SCALLOPS, SEA (MEATS)	-	-	15	30	-	-
SQUID	2,279	912	41,594	16,190	-	-
TOTAL SHELLFISH	40,690	15,847	421,944	213,288		
GRAND TOTAL	161,341	29,188	1,398,253	351,164		

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NEW JERSEY LANDINGS BY COUNTIES, DECEMBER 1973 (CONTINUED)

(PRELIMINARY)

SPECIES	COUNTY					
	ATLANTIC		CAPE MAY		CUMBERLAND	
FISH	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
BLUEFISH	3,650	659	21,317	1,981	-	-
BUTTERFISH, UNCLASSIFIED	274	120	2,937	744	-	-
CARP	-	-	-	-	2,857	200
CATFISH	-	-	-	-	3,150	504
COD	14,714	5,594	12,443	4,092	-	-
EELS, COMMON	-	-	7,400	5,180	-	-
EELS, CONGER	95	10	1,739	285	-	-
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK	1,979	251	248	26	-	-
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE	4,434	1,825	67,270	15,236	-	-
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE	168	50	448	46	-	-
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL	4,502	809	195	23	-	-
HAKE, RED	553	66	1,213	62	-	-
HERRING, SEA	-	-	144	3	-	-
KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH"	-	-	38	4	-	-
MACKEREL, ATLANTIC	4,595	690	1,342	474	-	-
MENHADEN	-	-	3,031	68	-	-
POLLOCK	-	-	108	16	-	-
SCUP OR PORGY, UNCLASSIFIED	61,602	16,077	527,909	138,096	-	-
SEA BASS, UNCLASSIFIED	951	633	23,839	8,531	-	-
SEA ROBIN	-	-	4,200	211	-	-
SEA TROUT, GREY	2,360	591	11,689	2,174	-	-
STRIPED BASS	19,298	4,425	76,737	21,772	100	35
STURGEON	-	-	138	21	-	-
SWORDFISH	-	-	195	351	-	-
TAUTOG	5	1	1,529	76	-	-
TILEFISH	3,185	796	-	-	-	-
TUNA, LITTLE	-	-	6	1	-	-
WHITE PERCH	2,850	655	800	200	574	184
WHITING	7,835	1,256	25,473	3,003	-	-
UNCLASSIFIED FOR FOOD	65	10	77	9	-	-
TOTAL FISH	133,115	34,518	792,465	202,685	6,681	923
SHELLFISH						
CRABS, BLUE, HARD	3,200	960	-	-	1,120	336
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN, UNCL	4,085	7,149	393	470	-	-
CLAMS, HARD (MEATS)	43,650	41,468	1,150	1,092	-	-
CLAMS, SURF (MEATS)	253,266	29,824	1,197,497	127,165	-	-
CONCHS (MEATS)	-	-	12,360	2,595	-	-
OYSTERS (MEATS)	-	-	-	-	235,332	238,212
SCALLOPS, SEA (MEATS)	-	-	6,034	12,070	-	-
SQUID	17,755	6,041	54,847	15,027	-	-
TOTAL SHELLFISH	321,956	85,442	1,272,281	158,419	236,452	238,548
GRAND TOTAL	455,071	119,960	2,064,746	361,104	243,133	239,471

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NEW JERSEY LANDINGS, DECEMBER 1972 AND 1973

(PRELIMINARY)

SPECIES	DECEMBER 1972 POUNDS	DECEMBER 1972 DOLLARS	DECEMBER 1973 POUNDS	DECEMBER 1973 DOLLARS
FISH				
ANGLERFISH	326	16	-	-
BLUEFISH	2,605	334	26,343	2,831
BUTTERFISH, UNCLASSIFIED	6,033	1,913	8,350	2,164
CARP	40,000	3,200	2,857	200
CATFISH	610	73	3,150	504
COD	4,929	1,171	32,016	10,917
EELS, COMMON	10	2	7,435	5,189
EELS, CONGER	158	8	1,834	295
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK	277	30	5,591	681
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE	44,377	11,699	74,932	18,629
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE	5,310	1,276	9,118	1,797
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL	29,404	2,010	12,642	1,733
HAKE, RED	60,354	3,214	147,489	11,222
HAKE, WHITE, UNCLASSIFIED	2,197	374	15,338	2,761
HERRING, SEA	3,861	105	6,052	298
KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH"	2,330	349	38	4
MACKEREL, ATLANTIC	85,217	11,087	12,733	2,552
MENHADEN	1,500	59	3,031	68
OCEAN PERCH, ATLANTIC	20	2	-	-
POLLOCK	14	3	177	28
SCUP OR PORGY, UNCLASSIFIED	266,273	79,333	658,062	171,450
SEA BASS, UNCLASSIFIED	17,794	7,787	25,667	9,730
SEA ROBIN	650	13	4,200	211
SEA TROUT, GREY	6,141	1,243	20,284	4,230
SHAD	1,378	93	170	17
SHARKS, UNCLASSIFIED	230	23	-	-
SPOT	-	-	18	2
STRIPED BASS	10,035	3,709	109,770	29,435
STURGEON	132	24	138	21
SWORDFISH	-	-	195	351
TAUTOG	540	27	1,665	86
TILEFISH	30,585	10,696	93,646	27,934
TUNA, LITTLE	-	-	6	1
WHITE PERCH	773	249	8,660	2,054
WHITING	371,475	34,536	737,227	81,892
UNCLASSIFIED FOR FOOD	647	82	387	56
UNCLASSIFIED FOR INDUSTRIAL	3,050	31	-	-
TOTAL FISH	999,235	174,771	2,029,221	389,343
SHELLFISH				
CRABS, BLUE, HARD	105,760	24,040	38,880	11,664
CRABS, RED	-	-	332	20
CRABS, ROCK	3,136	189	5,800	354
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN, UNCL	42,709	63,174	61,766	107,474
CLAMS, HARD (MEATS)	73,050	45,410	66,010	62,710
CLAMS, SOFT, PUBLIC (MEATS)	1,680	1,400	-	-
CLAMS, SURF (MEATS)	1,807,253	216,587	1,712,988	196,297
CONCHS (MEATS)	25,750	7,728	12,360	2,595
OYSTERS (MEATS)	353,370	285,036	237,432	242,412
SCALLOPS, BAY (MEATS)	-	-	35,231	37,748
SCALLOPS, SEA (MEATS)	11,207	21,487	6,049	12,100
SQUID	49,946	10,586	116,475	38,170
TERRAPIN	600	270	1/ 200	1/ 100
TOTAL SHELLFISH	2,474,461	675,907	2,2?3,523	711,644
GRAND TOTAL	3,473,696	850,678	2/ 4,322,744	2/ 1,100,987

1/ LANDED IN SALEM COUNTY.

2/ INCLUDES LANDINGS IN SALEM COUNTY.

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CONVERSION FACTORS USED IN PREPARING THIS REPORT

SPECIES	DATA COLLECTED AS	CONVERTED TO AND PUBLISHED AS POUNDS OF MEATS BY MULTIPLYING BY
CLAMS:		
HARD	U.S. STANDARD BUSHELS	10
SOFT	DO	12
SURF	DO	17
CONCHS	DO	20
OYSTERS	DO	6
SCALLOPS:		
BAY	GALLONS OF MEATS	9
SEA	DO	8.75

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NEW JERSEY LANDINGS FOR SPECIFIED PERIODS, 1972 AND 1973

(PRELIMINARY)

SPECIES	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH DECEMBER			
	1972		1973	
FISH	POUNDS	DOLLARS	POUNDS	DOLLARS
ALEWIVES	14,650	586	7,000	280
AMBERJACK	90	5	859	47
ANGLERFISH	1,654	64	36	2
BLUEFISH	811,636	123,795	887,256	132,755
BONITO	807	188	891	181
BUTTERFISH, UNCLASSIFIED	492,327	92,735	1,029,938	157,593
CARP	90,150	6,710	108,682	8,448
CATFISH	3,770	484	12,214	1,903
COD	42,611	12,424	85,004	26,501
CROAKER	344	45	37,069	7,401
CUNNER	-	-	190	7
DRUM, BLACK	32,740	1,819	24,423	2,033
EELS, COMMON	262,214	57,763	230,878	54,760
EELS, CONGER	1,512	92	6,793	1,033
FLOUNDERS, BLACKBACK	94,084	8,976	159,493	15,923
FLOUNDERS, FLUKE	1,851,796	738,312	3,091,541	1,103,242
FLOUNDERS, GRAY SOLE	19,145	2,783	36,278	6,149
FLOUNDERS, LEMON SOLE	-	-	18	13
FLOUNDERS, SAND	-	-	2,500	234
FLOUNDERS, YELLOWTAIL	867,103	89,640	1,052,966	122,512
GRUNTS	495	72	-	-
HADDOCK, UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	1,636	567
HAKE, RED	758,914	43,925	1,116,404	87,900
HAKE, WHITE, UNCLASSIFIED	37,186	5,233	61,378	10,535
HALIBUT	-	-	26	13
HERRING, SEA	202,043	5,345	114,072	2,579
JEWFISH	30	3	-	-
KING MACKEREL	27	11	1,054	542
KING WHITING OR "KINGFISH"	5,571	731	1,606	231
MACKEREL, ATLANTIC	1,511,659	104,818	1,154,801	93,647
MENHADEN	138,475,910	2,262,142	154,483,250	3,939,309
MULLET	3,735	525	-	-
OCEAN PERCH, ATLANTIC	320	57	-	-
POLLOCK	467	64	893	151
SCUP OR PORGY, UNCLASSIFIED	3,646,889	678,881	2,970,040	772,910
SEA BASS, UNCLASSIFIED	422,977	152,936	693,925	268,863
SEA ROBIN	1,253	37	7,189	347
SEA TROUT, GREY	3,178,790	332,842	2,562,545	338,772
SHAD	263,121	33,833	142,783	27,377
SHARKS, GRAYFISH	194	9	5,437	255
SHARKS, UNCLASSIFIED	475	35	3,396	237
SPANISH MACKEREL	122	32	105	35
SPOT	1,238	182	9,527	935
STRIPED BASS	372,131	111,325	766,163	210,877
STURGEON	11,139	2,125	18,423	2,998
SUCKERS	13	1	-	-
SWORDFISH	-	-	4,752	5,096
TAUTOG	30,252	1,354	22,988	1,058
TILEFISH	244,034	78,416	711,125	233,960
TUNA, BLUEFIN	2,151,926	430,394	1,251,757	267,166
TUNA, LITTLE	456	24	654	48
TUNA, SKIPJACK	69,394	10,409	-	-
TUNA, UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	201	13
WHITE PERCH	106,267	21,742	141,795	31,836
WHITING	5,439,740	452,744	6,449,617	868,295
YELLOW PERCH	50	8	-	-
UNCLASSIFIED FOR FOOD	9,872	1,049	6,492	850
UNCLASSIFIED FOR INDUSTRIAL	7,030	260	-	-
TOTAL FISH	161,540,353	5,867,285	179,478,063	8,808,419
SHELLFISH				
CRABS, BLUE, HARD	1,437,028	326,556	2,572,080	663,100
CRABS, BLUE, SOFT AND PEELER	14,950	4,484	22,913	15,528
CRABS, RED	-	-	26,663	1,564
CRABS, ROCK	90,793	4,972	192,984	11,113
LOBSTERS, AMERICAN, UNCL	1,308,247	1,827,944	1,363,146	2,234,391
SHRIMP, SALTWATER (HEADS-ON)	760	382	4,992	2,974
CLAMS, HARD (MEATS)	2,195,733	1,579,028	1,893,665	1,640,505
CLAMS, SOFT, PUBLIC (MEATS)	62,004	49,965	17,292	18,914
CLAMS, SURF (MEATS)	21,331,864	2,780,461	21,588,249	2,709,121
CONCHS (MEATS)	113,685	21,734	150,767	38,505
OYSTERS (MEATS)	1,714,210	1,370,071	1,397,288	1,329,232
SCALLOPS, BAY (MEATS)	-	-	60,641	71,628
SCALLOPS, SEA (MEATS)	246,612	502,760	415,557	760,263
SQUID	412,051	76,759	584,433	134,914
TERRAPIN	600	270	500	250
TURTLES, LOGGERHEAD	160	16	20	2
TURTLES, SLIDERS	-	-	525	53
TURTLES, SNAPPER	47,771	9,554	25,579	5,067
TURTLES, UNCLASSIFIED	-	-	450	32
TOTAL SHELLFISH	28,976,468	8,554,956	30,317,744	9,637,156
GRAND TOTAL	190,516,821	14,422,241	209,795,807	18,445,575

NOTE:—THE CUMULATIVE AND COMPARATIVE MONTHLY DATA MAY INCLUDE REVISIONS. DATA ON THE LANDINGS OF FISH FOR REDUCTION ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THESE TABLES. ALL WEIGHTS SHOWN ARE IN TERMS OF ROUND (LIVE) WEIGHT, EXCEPT AS NOTED. WEIGHT OF SCALLOP MEATS IS WEIGHT OF SHELL-CLOSING MUSCLE.

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